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I-ISLAF-ANIS Aug.1:

1. More than 50.000 people marched, for celebrating the Republican Regime in Afghanistan, at Kandehar yesterday...., pictorial.
2. The President of the Arabs Emarets, Sheikh Zahed, has congratulated, through a telegram, President-Premier Daoud on his selection in this post of the Republic of Afghanistan....
3. The Government of Kuwait has recognized Republic of Afghanistan...
4. The military officers, government personnel, judges of Jozjon and Semangan Provinces took the oath of loyalty to the Republican Regime of Afghanistan..., yesterday.
5. Afghan students in Iran celebrated the occasion of Republican Regime of Afghanistan...; and they have sent a letter also to President-Premier Daoud...
6. Talks between India and Pakistan has been postponed to Afghan Month Assed 27.... B
7. Cornerstone has been laid for the grains godawns in Punjab Woleswali of Bamyar Province..., says a source of the Provincial Office of Agricultural Communization.
8. A total of 11 persons, accused of killing-injuring a lot of people, has been caught by the Security forces after a skirmish with them by the Police, yesterday morning. They had been wandering for the last several months despite every effort of the police to catch them. Hazret Sa'id, Rahman Gul, Shak Mohammed, Haniullah, Moh'd Kemal, Shahi Jon, Se'dullah, Hassen Nor, AbdurRehman, Moh'd Jelal, and Moh'd Wali are their names who had skirmishes with the security forces in the night of last Tuesday....

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ISLAH-ANIS Aug.1, continued:

9. A lorry which had thefted a lot of coal from Derrehsof has been caught by the police yesterday by the Security forces....

10. Employment Director Moh'd Yossuf of Kabul Municipality has been caught while taking 10.000 afs. as bribe....

11. Photo of a group of Afghan youths who were celebrating the Occasion of Republican Regime with Daoud's photo in their hand and singing on a big truck....

12. Articles by Ravi on the last press interview with President Daoud, by Dr.Wassi' Latiffi on 'the success of falcons' who succeeded in the establishment of Republican Regime in Afghanistan, by Watenwal on 'our obligations under the Republican Regime', by Qehruman on Afghanistan's need for a capable and sympathetic headship which has come forth now, by Rakuziwal on the merits of 'our republican regime', etc...

13. Its Farsi editorial deals with the arrest and punishment of the drug-smugglers 'who are almost all the foreign tourists'....

14. Its Pushtu editorial deals with the Mideast as a contagious problem and it says that the 'recent veto of the UN Security resolution by America has caused further closeness and cooperation of the Arab countries and people' for obtaining their rights'

II-HYWAD July 31:

1. A page of poem-prose on the merits of the Republican Regime, by Ali Lavegin, Sekeab, Nabilay, Hafiz, etc.

2. The National Awwani Party is getting reinforced day by day in Hazareh District of the Central Occupied Pushtunistan...A report by HYWAD correspondent.

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HYWAD July 31, continued:

3. Honorable Mangul has declared active struggles by the Pushtuns and Baluchis.... A report by HYWAD correspondent.

4. Abul Murad Hamza Shenvari—a famous poet and writer of Luvargi of the Northern Free Pushtunistan; Merum Khan, Malik Mir Agha Jon, Delbaz Khan, Haji Habibullah Khan Ahmadzai Waziri, Ali Murjan Duvar, Malik Aslam Babazai and his son Malik Hassan Khan, Malik Shemshegar, Malik Zafer Babazai, Moh'd Hashem, Cazi La'l Gul; and a lot of Free Pushtunistani leaders and their people have congratulated the new Republican Regime of Afghanistan.... B

5. Marshal Asghar Khan support the stand of the National Awami Party... HYWAD correspondent.

6. An article by Adin Wardek says that the official cars are for the official work and therefore they mustn't be abused for private traffic. He welcomes the recent government steps for regulating the official cars for official work through written schedules...

6. Its editorial deals with the moralities of the republican regime, expecting the present military regime to be replaced by Democratic Republican Regime for observing ~~the~~ what it terms the moralities of the regime.....

III—Rumors beside to what told Mr. Platt this morning:

Sebhgetyullah Mujeddi and Ziaul Mashaikh—Hazret Moh'd Ebrahim Mujeddi—are preaching bravely Anti-Regim words among his followers....

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